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LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS - NEW YORK*
(Pounds)

	: FREIGHT :	: TRUCK DEALERS AT :	: TRUCK & EXPRESS (DIRECT RECEIVERS) :	: TRUCK LONG ISLAND DUCKS :	: TOTAL RAIL & TRUCK :
MAY 11, 1943	: 31,380 :	: 176,446 :	: 271,699 :	: 6,760 :	: 486,285 :
SO FAR THIS WEEK	: 47,260 :	: 285,722 :	: 539,267 :	: 9,720 :	: 881,969 :
SO FAR LAST WEEK	: 48,057 :	: 267,322 :	: 486,944 :	: 14,200 :	: 816,523 :

*COMPILED FROM DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS WEIGHTMASTER REPORTS

NEW YORK: THERE WAS ONE CAR OF FOWL VIA FREIGHT AT LONG ISLAND CITY FOR THE NEW YORK LIVE POULTRY TRADE. THIS CAR WAS CONSIGNED TO A DIRECT RECEIVER AND NO OFFERINGS WERE AVAILABLE FOR OPEN MARKET TRADING. MARKET NOMINALLY VERY FIRM. TRUCK RECEIPTS TO DEALERS WERE FAIRLY LIBERAL. FOWLS WERE SCARCE WITH ONLY A FEW NEW YORK STATE AND 1 LOAD OF TENNESSEE FOWL AVAILABLE FOR OPEN MARKET TRADING. TRADING WAS ACTIVE FOR ALL CLASSES OF BROILERS, FRYERS AND ROASTERS AND FOWL. ALL OFFERINGS SOLD READILY AT FULLY SUPPORTED LEVELS. MARKET VERY FIRM. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS WERE LIGHT AND MET ACTIVE TRADING AT PREVAILING FIGURES. THE 29 $\frac{1}{2}$ TRUCK LOADS DELIVERED TO DEALERS UP TO 12 NOON INCLUDED: 18 DELAWARE CROSS, 6 MARYLAND CROSS, 1 VIRGINIA ROCK 1 VERMONT ROCKS, TOTAL 26 SPRINGS; $\frac{1}{2}$ NEW YORK MIXED, 1 VIRGINIA TURKEYS, 1 TENNESSEE FOWL, PLUS 1 DELAWARE TRUCK LOADS OF CROSS SPRINGS DUE. DIRECT RECEIVERS RECEIVED UP UNTIL LATE MORNING 384,954 POUNDS. REPORTED WHOLESAL PRICES ON GRADE A POULTRY BROILERS, FRYERS AND ROASTERS 32, FOWLS 4-5 $\frac{1}{2}$ LBS AND UP 28 $\frac{1}{2}$, OLD ROOSTERS ALL WEIGHTS 24 $\frac{1}{2}$, DUCKS, ALL WEIGHTS 27 $\frac{1}{2}$, YOUNG TURKEYS UNDER 18 POUNDS 39 $\frac{1}{2}$, GUINEAS PER PAIR 1.10, SQUABS PER PAIR 55-60, PIGEONS PER PAIR 55.

PHILADELPHIA: THE RETAILERS' STRIKE AGAINST BUYING CONTINUED TODAY WITH PRACTICALLY NO MOVEMENT OF LIVE POULTRY FROM RECEIVERS' FLOORS REPORTED. SOME OF YESTERDAY'S RECEIPTS WHICH WERE MOVED TO DRESSERS WERE CARRIED OVER AND STILL UNSOLD. IN ABSENCE OF ANY REPORTED TRADING, WITH DELIVERY AFFECTED, PRICES ARE OMITTED. RECEIPTS SHARPLY DOWN. DEALERS GREATLY CONCERNED AS TO INCREASING LOSS TO FARMERS ON CONSIGNMENTS. RECEIPTS: 113,004 LBS BY TRUCK, 739 LBS BY EXPRESS, TOTAL 113,743 LBS (INCLUDES POULTRY TO BE DRESSED FOR LOCAL AND INTER-MARKET DISTRIBUTION).

BALTIMORE: LIVE POULTRY PRICES AND CONDITIONS UNCHANGED.

BOSTON: POULTRY PRICES UNCHANGED. MARKET CONTINUED FIRM. SOME DEALERS RECEIVED A FAIR INVENTORY OF CHICKENS, MOSTLY 4 LBS AND UNDER, BUT OTHER DEALERS REPORTED NO RECEIPTS, AND ON THE WHOLE SUPPLIES WERE LIGHT AND BEING HELD FOR RETAIL TRADE. 39,850 LBS. OF POULTRY RECEIVED YESTERDAY.

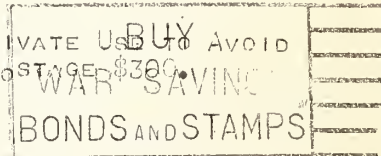
WASHINGTON: LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS LIGHT. SOME BROILERS AND FRYERS 28 $\frac{1}{2}$ -29.

CHICAGO: LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS IN CHICAGO WEDNESDAY AS REPORTED BY WHOLESAL RECEIVERS TOTALED 55,005 POUNDS. ARRIVALS WHILE SMALL AND SCATTERED SHOW AN EXPANDED SHIPPING INTEREST. DEALERS CONTINUE TO REPORT A LARGE VOLUME OF LIVE SUPPLIES GOING DIRECT TO RETAILERS WHICH NORMALLY WOULD HAVE PASSED THROUGH WHOLESALE CHANNELS.

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